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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Nuclear Energy Division, OSI
ATTENTION: [redacted]
THROUGH: Chief, Requirements Branch, Reconnaissance Group, OS
FROM: Chief, CIA/PID(NPIC)
SUBJECT: Search for Calcium Plant Near Loshan, China
REFERENCES: Requirement No. C-814-80,958
CIA Project No. C 991-64

1. In response to your requirement, a circular area with a 50 nautical mile (nm) radius centered at Loshan, China, was searched for a high-purity calcium plant possibly associated with a uranium metal plant. [redacted] reports have indicated that this type of calcium plant was located adjacent to a uranium metal plant somewhere in Communist China, and it was thought that a uranium metal source might be found by locating the calcium plant reported in Szechwan Province. Nothing was seen in the Loshan Area, however, to indicate a calcium plant on the available photography. Except for [redacted] the area was either cloud covered or the photography was of poor quality.

2. The enclosed map shows the flight line of the [redacted] missions (effective coverage for detail being about 20 miles on either side of the flight lines). The photography utilized was as follows:



Reviewed by NGA.

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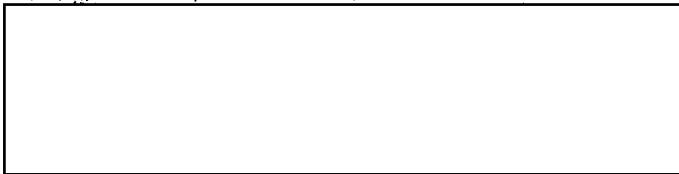
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3. The photo analyst on this project was [redacted]
He may be contacted on extension [redacted] should you have further questions regarding this requirement.

4. This memorandum with enclosure completes the referenced project.



Enclosure:

CIA/PID/ABCE/P-132/64 (Map - Area of Search)

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